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## June Newsletter

Dear Parent/Guardian,

I hope this letter finds you and your family well as the end of this school year draws near.

### Dates for the Diary

- Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June: School Holiday
- Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June: Bank Holiday
- Friday 10<sup>th</sup> June: School closing @12:30. Please see note below.
- Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> June: School Tour for Rang V, VI & Cairde 3
- Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> June: School Tour for Rang II, III & IV
- Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> June: Junior School Tour  
Boys' Football Final
- Friday 17<sup>th</sup> June: Sports Day
- Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> June: End of Year Mass and Celebration for pupils leaving school and their parents
- Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> June: School closing @12:30 for summer holidays
  
- Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> August: School reopens for all pupils

### School Half Day Closing – Friday 10<sup>th</sup> June

Please note that the school will be closing @ **12:30 on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> June** to facilitate whole Staff training in the Primary Language Curriculum. This training is being delivered by PDST in the Department of Education.

### Photographs

Sample photographs have been distributed to each family. Photographs can be ordered online by scanning the QR Code or filling in the order form and returning to school.

Closing date for orders is Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> June.

### School Rental Books & School Book Bills

Teachers will be sending home rental books over the next couple of weeks for the paper covers to be removed and any repairs to be done. All rental books will be collected for the pupils on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> June for audit. Payment of the Book Bills is due on or before Friday 17<sup>th</sup> June.

If for any reason you have difficulty in paying the book bills, please contact me and the matter will be addressed with understanding and in the strictest confidence.

### Boys' Football Final

Congratulations to the Boys' Football Team who have qualified for the Division 3 Football final to be held after school on Thurs 16<sup>th</sup> June in St. Mary's GAA pitch, Castleblayney. Time to be confirmed. Every best wish to the boys and Ms. Tavey.

## **Department of Education Action Plan on Bullying and the Anti-bullying Procedures for Primary and Post-primary Schools.**

The Department of Education is currently reviewing the Action Plan on Bullying and the Anti-bullying Procedures for Primary and Post-primary Schools. As part of this work, the Department is seeking your views about what should be done to prevent and tackle bullying in our schools.

The Department is inviting you to make written submissions and to complete a short questionnaire as part of the public consultation process. The consultation can be accessed on:

[www.gov.ie/schools-anti-bullying-plan-review/](http://www.gov.ie/schools-anti-bullying-plan-review/)

The closing date for receipt of submissions is Tuesday 21 June 2022.

### **Active Schools Week & Sports Day**

Active Schools Week will take place Mon 13<sup>th</sup> – Fri 17<sup>th</sup> June. As part of Active school's week, the pupils will be participating in a range of activities and games.

We are planning to have our Sports Day on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> June.

I hope that the weather will be lovely and we will be asking you to apply sunscreen on the children before coming to school. Pupils may wear tracksuit bottoms or shorts, along with the school t-shirt.

### **End of Year Reports**

Your child's end of year report will be posted out to in the second last week of June.

### **Aladdin Connect – Connecting with Parents**

We are delighted to announce that we will roll out Aladdin Schools Connect to parents/ guardians in the new school year.

Aladdin Connect will give you secure access to messages from school, details of your child's attendance, test results and end of year reports via a secure login from your internet browser or Aladdin Connect App. It will also allow you to send in absence notes for your children and permission slips.

Aladdin Connect is a fantastic way to enhance a school's communication with parents. It enables parents to stay connected and informed about their child's education.

Every parent will receive a text/email message containing your registration link. **In preparation for this, it is very important to please let us know if your email address or phone number has changed recently. Please also ensure that we have a mobile number and an email address for both mother/ guardian and father / guardian as appropriate.**

We will be in touch with you again before we send out your unique registration link for each parent.

### **Summer Provision**

- Every pupil currently enrolled in a Cairde Class is eligible to participate.
- The programme will begin on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> June and will finish on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> July.
- Class will begin each day at 9.00a.m. and conclude at 1.00p.m...
- The school will be open from 8.50a.m.
- Staffing will be in line with the level of staffing provided during the school year.
- Transport will be provided in line with transport provided during the school year.
- The wearing of the school tracksuit / school uniform is optional during summer provision.

Please contact me if you wish any further clarification regarding the information above at [scoilmhuireclontibret@gmail.com](mailto:scoilmhuireclontibret@gmail.com).

I thank you for your continuing support.

Yours sincerely,

Elizabeth Moorehead

Principal